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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Gurudas SAMANT, et al.  
Serial No. : 10/030,198  
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For : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE CATALYTIC  
HANDLING OF SULFUR AND NITROGEN OXIDES  
CONTAINING SULFUR AND OXYGEN CONTAINING  
GASES  
Art Unit : 1754  
Examiner : Jonas N. Strickland

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR1.136(a))

Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time 1 month for filing a response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2004.

2. Applicant is:

[ ] a small entity  
[X] other than small entity

3. <u>Extension</u> <u>(months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than</u> <u>small entity</u>	<u>Fee for</u> <u>small entity</u>
[X] one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
[ ] two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
[ ] three months	\$1,020.00	\$ 510.00
[ ] four months	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00
[ ] five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Fee \$ 120.00

4. An Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 is filed herewith.
5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

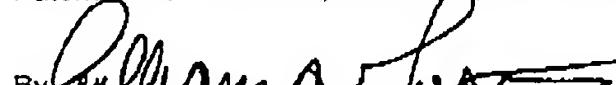
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